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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1899.

日九十月二年亥已

PRICE, \$2.50 PER MONTH.

Business Notices.

BAILEY'S ENGINEERING AGENCY,

17, PRAYA CENTRAL.

PUMPS, PACKINGS & GENERAL STORES.
STEAM LAUNCHES BOUGHT, SOLD OR BUILT
TO ORDER.
By W. S. BAILEY,
CONSULTING ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR.

STEAM LAUNCH 'OLYMPIA' (Teak), 44 ft. by 9' 9" beam.
NEW BOILER. Non-Condensing Engine.

CEMENT TIGHT

PAINTS AND COLOUR WASHES.

UNRIVALLED FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL COVERING
OF BUILDINGS, &c., &c.

SPECIMENS OF WORK ON VIEW AT THE FACTORY 61, PRAY EAST.
ORDERS AND ENQUIRIES MAY BE SENT TO

BAILEY'S ENGINEERING AGENCY.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-SHIP CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

FRIDAY, 31st March, being GOOD FRIDAY, the Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company called for that Day, is POSTPONED till SATURDAY, 1st April, 1899, at 10 o'clock Noon.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, March 27, 1899.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT
7 PER CENT. SILVER LOAN
OF 1880, B.
25th HALF-YEARLY DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE AND DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be PAYABLE at the Office of the Corporation on and after the 31st March, 1899.

Lists or DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
Agents for the Loan.
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, March 29, 1899.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

DURING MY Absence from the Colony Mr. WILLIAM HENRY GASKELL will be in CHARGE of the Business of the above Company as Acting Secretary.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
JAMES B. DUNCAN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 28, 1899.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Issue of 3,121 Shares of \$5 each, fully paid up.

THE Directors are prepared to receive offers for the above SHARES, which remain unsold.

Applicants should state the Price per SHARE, including premium, they are willing to pay, but no SHARE will be Allotted for less than SEVENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$75.00) per SHARE. Preference will be given in the Allotment to those Persons who on the 10th April, 1899, are Registered as Shareholders.

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any offer.

Forms of Application (under) can be obtained at the Company's Office or from the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

The Applications must be sent in to the Undersigned not later than 5 o'clock p.m., on SATURDAY, the 10th April, 1899.

C. MOONEY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 27th March, 1899.

Form of APPLICATION.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

Issue of 3,121 Shares of \$5 each, fully paid up.

To the Directors of
THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

In pursuance of and upon the terms mentioned in the Notice dated 27th March, 1899, I beg to apply for..... or any less number that you may Allot to me of the above mentioned Shares, for which I am willing to pay a premium of \$..... per Share, and I will pay the Sum of \$50.00 per Share and the premium to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation not later than the 30th April, 1899.

(Name).....
(Address).....
(Date).....
Hongkong, 27th March, 1899.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE OFFICE of the above COMPANY has this Day been REMOVED to the Building on the New PRAYA, N.E. CORNER, 3rd FLOOR.

D. GILLIES,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, March 30, 1899.

DAKIN'S SINGLE SHEDLITZ
A MOST AGREEABLE AND EFFECTIVE EFFERVESCING APERIENT.

PURE VOLATILE
EUCALYPTUS OIL
SPECIALLY REFINED.

AROMATIC
QUININE AND IRON TONIC
Enriches the Blood, Strengthens the System, and imparts tone and energy to the Digestive Organs.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

ALHAMBRA FACTORY,

MANILA CIGARS.

THE DUC DE MONTEBELLO
CHAMPAGNE.
HARVEY'S ROYAL TAWNY PORT.

Hongkong Agent— W. HUTTON POTTS,
OFFICE: DAIRY FARM BUILDING,
Edison Glenway.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES specified—

FOR	STEAMSHIP.	CAPTAIN.	DATE.
SHANGHAI.....	Ballaarat	C. L. W. FIELD.	About 31st March.
LONDON & S. China & S. E. Asia	K. STREET.		Noon, 1st April.
YOKOHAMA & Rangoon	C. H. WATKINS, R.N.		4 p.m., 1st April.
LONDON.....	Farmosa	A. G. CURTIS, R.N.	About 5th April.
SHANGHAI, N'SAKI, KOBÉ & Y.M.A. Java	J. CHELSEA, R.N.		About 6th April.
YOKOHAMA.....	Candide	W. H. HAVERTON, R.N.	About 10th April.

* See Special Advertisement.
For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, March 24, 1899.

Burgundies.

	1 doz. Bottles.	2 doz. Bottles.
BEAUNE.....	\$19.00	\$38.00
VOLNAY.....	23.00	46.00
POMMARD.....	27.00	54.00
CHAMBERTIN.....	34.00	68.00
SPARKLING RED.....	26.00	52.00
Do. WHITE.....	26.00	52.00

Hocks and Moselles.

	1 doz. Bottles.	2 doz. Bottles.
LAUBENHEIMER.....	\$11.00	\$22.00
GRAACHER.....	12.00	24.00
NIENSTEINER.....	13.00	26.00
LIEBFRUMILCH.....	19.00	38.00
CALIFORNIA RIESLING.....	6.00	12.00
Do. HOCK.....	6.00	12.00

White Wines.

	1 doz. Bottles.	2 doz. Bottles.
GRAVES.....	\$7.00	\$14.00
Do. 'Superior'.....	9.00	18.00
SAUTERNE.....	7.00	14.00
Do. 'Superior'.....	9.00	18.00
Do. HAUT.....	11.00	22.00

W. POWELL & Co.

EX. S. S. SHANGHAI.

NEW STOCK OF LADIES' TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED MILLINERY, NEW FLOWERS, FEATHERS, LACES, RIBBONS, Etc., Etc.

HONGKONG HOTEL

A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, Ltd.

HONGKONG HOTEL-PRAYA.

BELL'S ASBESTOS PACKINGS ARE THE BEST.

BELL'S BOILER COMPOSITION IS THE BEST.

BELL'S ENGINE OIL IS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST IN THE MARKET.

KINGHORN & MACDONALD, MANAGERS.

SHOOTING SUNDRIES

FOR LEE METFORD RIFLES.

'DARNLEY' SHOOTING BAGS

WOOD-COVERED STEEL CLEANING RODS

BARREL CLEANERS.

WOOL SPONGES

DEAD BLACK for SIGHTS

CORDITE CLEANSE.

Removes all fouling from Cordite and Prevents Corrosion of the Barrel.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

WILKINSON, HEYWOOD & CLARK, LTD.

(PROPRIETORS OF DAVID STORER & SONS).
LONDON—LIVERPOOL—PARIS.

PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

MAKERS OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND COLORS

BELL BRAND.

PAINTS OF ALL COLORS.

WHITE LEAD, WHITE ZINC, RED LEAD, TURPENTINE, COPAL VARNISH, AND PALE BOILED LINSSEED OIL.

It is impossible to procure in Hongkong A WHITE ZINC PAINT which is Superior to BELL BRAND.

SPECIAL GENUINE GROUND WHITE ZINC.
(All Keys Bear a Green St. Andrew's Cross.)

AQUARIUS.

"A PERFECT TABLE WATER."

"It is gratifying in these days of Typhoid to come across a REALLY PURE AND PALATABLE TABLE WATER. AQUARIUS is such; we have tried it ourselves and found it admirable."—Sporting Times, London.

Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.,
AGENTS,
AQUARIUS COMPANY.

ASK FOR FERGUSON'S

P. & O.

SPECIAL LIQUEUR, 10 YEARS OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY.

FERGUSON'S SPECIAL CREAM BREADALBANE HIGHLAND WHISKY.

These are the finest productions of Scotland; devoid absolutely of all deleterious matter.

THE CRÈME DE LA CRÈME OF WHISKIES.

PURE AND MILD.

Sole Importers,
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

PEAK HOTEL

AND CRAIGIEBURN.

THE PEAK HOTEL is Situated at VICTORIA GAP, adjoining the TRAMWAY STATION, 1560 feet above Sea Level.

CRAIGIEBURN is Situated at PLYMOUTH GAP, five minutes' walk from the PEAK HOTEL.

Fine Healthy Location—Views of Beautiful Scenery, Cool Southerly Breezes in Summer, with perfect protection against the North-East Winds in Winter.

Well appointed Rooms, attentive Service, and excellent Cuisine.

City Office 7, DUNDAS STREET.

Geo. J. CANNON, Manager.

Business Notices.

"LET 'EM ALL COME."

SPECIAL EASTER OFFER

BON-BONS AND CHOCOLATES

AT COST PRICE.

WATKINS & Co.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LIMITED.

FIRECLAY WORKS, DEEP WATER BAY, HONGKONG.

CEMENT FACTORY, GREEN ISLAND, MACAO.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

GLAZED STONEWARE DRAIN PIPES AND FITTINGS, GLAZED PAVING, BRICKS AND TILES, FIRE BRICKS AND FIRE CLAY, &c., &c.

For Prices and further particulars, apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

COTTAM & Co.,

FOR HATS, SCARVES, COLLARS, SHIRTS, Etc., BOOTS & SHOES.

EDWARDS' HARLENE FOR THE HAIR

THE GREAT HAIR PRODUCER AND RESTORER.

Is the Best Dressing, specially prepared and Perfumed for Toilet Use.

HARLENE PRODUCES LUXURIOUS HAIR, PREVENTS IT FALLING OFF AND TURNING GREY.

Unparalleled for Promoting the Growth of the Hair and Maintaining its Natural Colour.

For Curving Weak and Thin Eyelashes, Preserving, Strengthening, and Restoring the Hair beautifully Soft, For removing Scurf, Dandruff, etc., also for Restoring Grey Hair to its Natural Colour, late without a rival. Physicians and Analysts pronounce it to be devoid of any metallic or other injurious ingredients. It is a safe and reliable hair dressing, and may be had from Chemists, Hairdressers and Stores all over the World.

"EDWARDS' HARLENE" Co., 55 & 56, HIGH HOLBORN, LONDON, W.C.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s

SELECTED LIST OF PIANOS,

SPECIALLY BUILT FOR TROPICAL CLIMATES.

Second Hand Pianos at Cheap Rates.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS ACCEPTED.

PIANOS EXCHANGED.

ROTHEN MARK LODGE—No. 264.

A REGULAR MEETING of the ROTHEN MARK LODGE will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, on THURSDAY, the 30th March Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m., precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, March 24, 1899.

OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES, LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that in Accordance with Article IX. Paragraph 3 of the Articles of Association of the Company, the following B SHARES have been forfeited:—

No. 20,161-20,180.	21,381-21,400.
22,641-22,650.	22,731-22,732.
22,733-22,737.	22,933-22,937.
35,304-35,403.	35,345-35,394.
35,955-35,984.	35,395-35,399.
39,335-39,340.	39,493-39,492.
39,783-39,792.	42,384-42,458.
47,922-48,021.	50,273-50,280.
55,018-55,042.	56,070-56,073.
55,463.	26,444-26,493.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, March 25, 1899.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE OFFICES of the COMPANY have been REMOVED to QUEEN'S BUILDING, PRAYA.

W. H. RAY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 25, 1899.

NOTICE

A Special SESSIONS of Her Majesty's JUSTICES of the PEACE will be held in the JUSTICES' Room, at the Magistracy, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of April, A.D. 1899, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of considering applications from—

(1) JAMES EDWARDS, for a Publican's Licence to sell and Retail Intoxicating Liquors, on the Premises situate at House No. 18, Praya Central, under the Sign of "The Central Hotel."

(2) GEORGE LITTON, for the Transfer of his Publican's Licence to sell and Retail Intoxicating Liquors on the Premises situate at Houses Nos. 148 and 150, Queen's Road Central, under the Sign of "The Stag Hotel" to JOHN MONRO CORWELL.

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,
Police Magistrate.
Magistracy,
Hongkong, 22nd March, 1899.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TWO (2) CERTIFICATES for 17 SHARES Numbered 4,981/4,998, and 5,000 standing in the Register of this Company in the name of JOHN PEARCE having been LOST, Notice is hereby given that Two Duplicate Certificates for the said 17 SHARES will be issued (one) 1 Month hence, and that the Original Certificates unless produced within that Period will thereafter be held by the Company as Null and Void.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, March 17, 1899.

THE MUTUAL STORE.

MR. H. J. GLYDE has This Day been appointed Manager and is authorized to Sign for the Firm. All cheques are to be made PAYABLE to the Mutual Store and must be countersigned by Mr. LO SIU PING or Mr. LEUNG YAT CHUEN before payment is made.

Hongkong, 29th March, 1899.

WANTED.

NURSE, to go with a SHANGHAI FAMILY to VANCOUVER, per next CANADIAN PACIFIC MAIL STEAMER.

Apply immediately to Mr. JACKSON, 81, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, 29th March, 1899.

Colonel Deby, of the American Commission to act as an advisory board to President McKinley in the Philippines, left today by the Hongkong, for Manila.

In reply to many inquiries, we may state that the Sugar Refinery at Malabon (Manila) is quite safe, no damage having been sustained by it during the recent military operations.

The Hatching, the new steamer for the Douglas Steamship Company, starts on her first trip on the Coast to-morrow. She is a most suitable vessel for the trade, and is sure to be a favourite boat. Captain Hodgins, who brought her out from England, is in command. At a tidbit party held on board to-day, the toast of success to the new boat, her captain and her officers was duly honoured. The Hatching is exceedingly well built and is a very good carrier.

Three bluejackets of H.M.S. Albatross, Thos. Conlon, William Miron and Andrew Mordiff, have been before the British Consular Court at Bangkok, on a charge of assault and personal injury to two Frenchmen. The complainants claimed \$1,000 each as damages. The sailors had a quarrel in the International Hotel about some bad money, and the two complainants interfered and were "pushed aside." Mr. W. J. Archer, British Consul, found that the evidence was of too unsatisfactory a nature to convict.

The following additional alterations have been notified since our share list was printed:—National Bank, 850; buyers; Hongkong Bank, 820; buyers; Steamships, 850; buyers; Indo-China, 820; Douglough, 850; buyers; Stars, 18; buyers; China Sugar, 810; Panama, 33 and 91 40; buyers; Charabunag, 110; Quana, 65; buyers; Rauls, 61; Great Eastern, 84; 75; Docks, 820; 850; buyers; Wharves, 838; buyers; Hotels, 578; Green Island, 621; buyers; Electric, 619; Tramways, 619; 2; sales and buyers; China Provident, 619; 2; buyers.

VEREZA AT THE DOCKS.—At Kowloon.—Isle du Cuba, Isle du Luzon, Hué Chuan, H.M.S. Rodolph, Dos Hermanas, Henry Failing, Kolpan, Suikang, H.M.S. Hermione, Hating.

Consignments.—Don Juan de Austria, Phra Chom Kiao, Michael Jackson, Alderden.—Chittagong.

TRANSPORTS AND Cabin Planes are invaluable and very strong.—Robinson Piano Co.

The four torpedo-destroyers ordered by China from Schenck will leave Hongkong for the coast of China at the end of March. Captain Rauls, who has been lately in Hongkong, will accompany Captain Rauls.

Mr Pittard Morgan denies that he has any intention of resigning his seat in Parliament. The hon. member states that the appointment he has received in connection with the mineral development of one of the Chinese provinces will not require him to reside in China, but only to visit that Empire from time to time, which, he adds, can be done during the Parliamentary recess.

The Kutung arrived at Singapore on the 17th March from Hongkong. Her Captain reports that just before six o'clock the previous morning, a Chinese female passenger about 30 years of age, named Chun Lok, committed suicide by jumping over the side of the ship. She had paid for her passage from Hongkong to Singapore. The ship was stopped, and efforts were made to recover the body, but they were unsuccessful.

It is incredible that Aguinaldo's agents at Hongkong, London and elsewhere should be so ingenious as to imagine that their yarns will be believed. They appear to have inadvertently published a lot of back-number accounts of atrocities intended for circulation during the Spanish occupation of the Philippines. The Philippines are now a free country, and the Philippines are now a free country, and the Philippines are now a free country.

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IT IS REMARKABLE. SAYS MR. W. WILSON, THE POLYMER CHEMIST AT HAWAIIAN AND MYRAGE. "How Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has attained a prominence in this district, and though it has only been introduced a few months it has taken the lead. From remarks made by my customers who have used this remedy, I am convinced that it possesses exceptional qualities. I never hesitate to recommend it to all who are in need of a good cough mixture."

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY. The most wonderful Blood Purifier that science and medicine could have brought to light. Sufferers from Scalds, Scoury, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of any kind are solicited to give it a trial to test its value. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere at 2s. 6d. per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

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RECYCLED TELEGRAMS.

THE HEALTH OF THE PEOPLE OF ROY.

INDIAN SUGAR BOUNTIES.

ITALY AND CHINA.

BRIBERY AND CORRUPTION IN FORMOSA.

INCORPORATION OF SPINNING COMPANIES.

THE PARIS REPORTS.

THE SECRET D. STIEH.

THE FATE OF PICQUART.

THE GERMAN ARMY.

A COLONIAL BUREAU IN PARIS.

INDO-CHINA AND THE EXPOSITION.

THE REICHSSTAG AND THE ARMY.

THE FRENCH FLEET.

THE "GUSTAVE ZEDE."

THE FRENCH BUDGET.

WEATHER REPORT.

THE 30th at 11.45 a. The barometer is rising in N. China, falling in S. China.

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HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ANNUAL INSPECTION.

ANOTHER MAHOMEDAN REBELLION.

THE N. C. DAILY NEWS.

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MESSRS DALLAS AND MOSGRAVES DRAMATIC CO.

'HARBOUR LIGHTS.'

ANOTHER MAHOMEDAN REBELLION.

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THE P.M. COMPANY'S NEW LINERS.

DIMENSIONS OF THE VESSELS.

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NEWS BY AMERICAN MAIL.

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Apropos of the death of Cavendish the Times devotes half a leading article to the discussion of the game which seems to have been the last of its kind. It is of it by the addition of dummy play or "maining trumps." It is significant that the game popularly the game has reached nearly quailing. What from London society is due to the fact that each player is now allowed the privilege of "maining" strong suit for the purpose of obtaining rid of ill-luck by occasional doses of more or less grant chance advantages. Now the crowning glory of chess is that such petty devices are as unnecessary as they are unworthy. When wild in woods the noble savage never gambles. Chess is a concomitant of the civilized world, but the more it is civilized the more from that bondage and is now, with the exception of its feeble shadow draughts, the only game of pure skill. We do not need to improve it, as it seems Whist has been improved, in any direction indicated by the gambling mania.

The *Times* in an answer to a correspondent lays down one or two rules which it has accepted and insisted on, to promote speed and clearness in correspondence.

1. A time limit must be fixed, say 24 hours at most after receipt of move. The moves must be clearly expressed as unambiguously as possible to wrangle no quibbles. Thus, "I can be captured" if it must be clearly stated which piece, and if two pieces can take it, specify which piece. It is no argument to say other than the intended move is absurd. The intention may be as you, but what you write is what you intend has to go by. In one word, state your meaning far beyond dispute, and keep copies of everything.

	4 Q-K 3	P-K E 3
	5 B-Q 2	B-K 2
IOP.	6 Kt-Q B 3	K-K-E 2
	7 Castles	Castles
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	9 K-P 4	Kt-K 5
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	11 B-K 3	K-K-E 3 P
	12 Kt-K 1	Kt-K 3
every	13 Q-K R 3	Q-B 3
from	14 P-B 3	Kt-K 5
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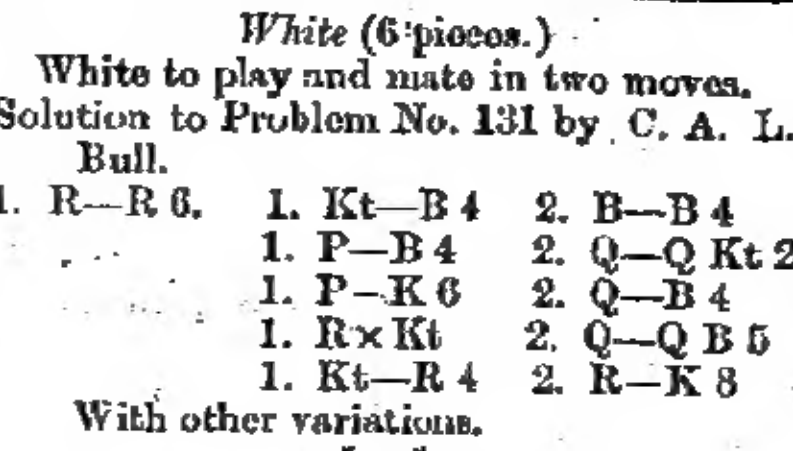
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Black: (1 piece).



the challenge, whose chess expertise to the members is perhaps not quite so marked as that of Messrs Pollock, Souza and Chempel, so that good sport may be made of the matter, I have found a permanent resting place. I have seen a place where such a cup wandered from holder to holder for eighteen years before it was won outright and Mr Pollock's cup is now in the third year of its pilgrimage and bids fair to outlast the present century. We must be content to receive the challenge and may retain the cup as long as we will hold it on December 30 of the present year.

In last week's problem the White Bishop on K 2 should be a Black one. The correct position is:—White (9 pieces) Kat K 8, K Reg. R at Q 3, B 8, Bishops at Q 2, K 8, K 1, Pawns at Q 2, K 3, K 6, K 8; Black (8 pieces) Kat K 3, B 4, Pawns at K 7, K 6, Pawns at Q K 1, 2, B 4, K 5, K 7, K 6. —Mate in two.

The annual Anglo-American cable match this year is to be followed about the end of next month by a cable match between English and American universities. —This match also is to be arranged by the British Chess Club. It is officially announced that this year Mr. Burn has given up his place on the English team to Mr. Westhead, one of the most notable of the younger school players.

7 Castles	Castles
8 P-B 4	P-Q 4

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Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ...	1,200	\$	10	all \$10 buyers

Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	600\$	50	all	\$31
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co.	10,000\$	73	5	4 sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000\$	25	all	\$112, sellers
H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ltd.	5,000\$	60	all	\$170
		60	100	\$84 sales

Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 78
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 83
Y. C. Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.				

Carmichael & Co., Ltd.	2,000	25	23	28
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000	11 1/2	500	11 1/2 500 11 1/2 406
China Provident Loan Mortgage Co., Ltd.	50,000	20	19	20, ex div. 20

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Chinese Imperial 1898	Tls. 767,200	Tls. 250,750	p. annum 10 %	pro.

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